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**Personal Information**

Birth date August 08, 1976

**Education**

- 2014-**Present** PhD Candidate in Architecture  
Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Architecture / Ankara, TURKEY
- 2008-2011 Master of Architecture  
Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Architecture/ Ankara, TURKEY  
Title of The Thesis: "Literary spaces as the Representation of The Dominant Ideologies in the Context of Dystopias Written Between 1920-1950"
- 1994-1999 Bachelor of Architecture  
Gazi University, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture / Ankara, TURKEY

**Professional Experience**

- 2015, September-**Present** Full Time Instructor  
Cankaya University, Faculty of Architecture / Ankara, TURKEY
- 2011, September-2015, September Part-Time Instructor  
Cankaya University, Faculty of Architecture / Ankara, TURKEY
- 2007, February-2010, July Architectural Consultant  
Tür-sum İnşaat Ticaret LTD.ŞTİ. / Ankara, TURKEY

2006, May-2007, January	Architect Erbuğ Mimarlık LTD.ŞTİ. / Ankara, TURKEY
2003, March-2005, May	Co-secretary of the Board Chamber of Architects Ankara Branch / Ankara, TURKEY
2000, May-2003, February	Architect Plandek A.Ş / Ankara, TURKEY
1999, March-2000, April	Architect Mira Tasarım / Ankara, TURKEY

### **Academic Experiences**

February 2016	Workshop Facilitator, "Aesthetics of Atmosphere", Helsinki, Finland
January 2016	Jury Reporter, Competition of Logo Design for 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Çankaya University
October 2015	Peer-Reviewer for METU <i>Journal of the Faculty of Architecture</i>
October 2013	Paper presentation, "Liquid Reality in the Realm of Liquid Modernity", "Is-it-real?" International Semiotic Conference, organized by Çankaya University, Ankara, Turkey
April 2012	Paper presentation, "The Impact of Architectural Education on Children", World Conference on Design, Arts and Education, International Symposium, Antalya, Turkey
November 2011	Jury Reporter in ArchiprixTürkiye
September 2011	Paper presentation, "Belleğin Kurgusal Galibi ya da Slumdog Millionaire", "Space and Culture" International Symposium, organized by Kadir Has University, Istanbul, Turkey
October 2009	Presentation in the first panel of "Thinking Future in Architecture", organized by Mimarlar Derneği 1927, Ankara, Turkey
April 2008	Paper Presentation, "Huxley's Island: In-between the Worlds", The First International Semiotic Congress, Girne, Cyprus
January 2007	Organization of exhibitions and panels with the title "ITHAKA-Mimarlıkta Yeni Arayışlar", Mimarlar Derneği 1927, Ankara, Turkey
September 2006	Participation to EU Action 5 Project, "Let's Shout", Badajoz, Spain
September 2006	Participation to Playce@2006 Meeting, "Dialogue with Surroundings" Warsaw, Poland
April 2006	Organization and Legal management of EU Action 5 Project, "On The Road: A New Life", with the theme of migration, Ankara, Turkey

December 2005	Participation to the education of EU Youth Projects Action 1, Ankara, Turkey
November 2005	Participation to the seminar of “Children Rights Advocacy in Europe”, Ankara, Turkey
October 2005	Participation to the Seminar “Playce@2005” and panelist in “From Theory to Practice”, Jyvaskyla, Finland
July 2005	Paper presentation, “New Way of Discovering Architecture: Children and Architecture Project”, UIA 2005 Congress, Istanbul, Turkey
July 2005	Workshop Facilitator, “Seeking for Dreams”, UIA 2005 Congress, Istanbul, Turkey
May 2005	Workshop Facilitator, “Liliput versus Brobdingnag”, “The Body, Art Festival” Girne, Cyprus
August 2004	Participation to Alvar Aalto Design Seminar, the theme of “Choices”, Jyvaskyla, Finland

### **Publications**

2012	“The impact of architectural education on children”, ARTSEDU 2012, <i>Procedia - Social and Behavioral Sciences</i> , 51 (2012) 873 – 877
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### **Conducted Courses**

2011, September to Present	<p>INAR 131- Technical Drawing 1, INAR 132- Technical Drawing 2,  INAR 185- Technical Representation,  INAR 101- Basic Design Studio 1, INAR 102- Basic Design Studio 2,  INAR 201-Design Studio, INAR 202- Design Studio,  INAR 301- Design Studio, INAR 302- Design Studio,  INAR 401- Design Studio, INAR 410- Diploma Project,  INAR 332- Modular Systems, INAR 405- Research Methods,  ARCH 101- Basic Design Studio 1,  ARCH 132- Architectural Drawing,  ARCH 425- Modernist Texts (Elective Course),  ARCH 428- Critical Analysis of Architectural Documentaries (Elective Course),  ARCH201-202-301-302 within Studio 4- Vertical Architectural Design Studio</p>
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## Awards and Competitions

October 2015	Participation to competition of Aalto Museum Extension
August 2006	Participation to competition of TBMM Library and General Secretary Building
August 2005	Participation to competition of Pendik Municipality Building
May 1998	Mention Award in the competition of "Cities and Humans"
June 1996	Honourable Mention in the competition of "Dwelling and Built Environment in Hasandede"
June 1995	Participation to competition of "Accommodating Differences in a Pluralistic Society", IFHP

## Memberships

UIA Chamber of Architects Ankara Branch, [www.mimarlarodasiankara.org](http://www.mimarlarodasiankara.org)

PLAYCE- International Architectural Education of Children, [www.playce.org](http://www.playce.org)

Association of Architects 1927, [www.md1927.org.tr](http://www.md1927.org.tr)